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Applicant : Patrizio Vinciarelli et al. Art Unit : 2827  
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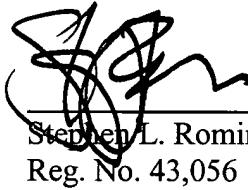
PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated September 4, 2003, be extended for one month to and including January 4, 2004.

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